

Call for Applications: International Guest Lectureship Programme 2022

Over the course of several years, Trier University of Applied Sciences has been intensifying its efforts to internationalise its studies and teaching, and to impart international and intercultural skills to its future graduates. To this end, more English-language courses are to be offered. The International Guest Lectureship Programme is a call for proposals from Trier University of Applied Sciences for a four-week guest lectureship in 2022, which is funded by the Federal Ministry of Education and Research as part of the DAAD project "Trier University of Applied Sciences International: Global Innovation for Sustainable Futures".

The aim of the programme is to provide a path for the internationalisation of teaching, particularly with reference to the UN's Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). In addition, the programme is intended to bring students into contact with teaching content and methods from abroad as early as possible and in this way also encourage them to spend time abroad.







General conditions and selection criteria

University teachers from all faculties are invited to propose lecturers from foreign universities to teach at Trier University of Applied Sciences for four weeks. Proposals must be supported by the dean. The question of sustainability plays an important role in the decision on applications. The guest lectureship is also intended to provide incentives for the internationalisation of subject teaching: This can range from the development of an international module, to the possibility of a structured student exchange, to the prospect of establishing a joint degree programme. How sustainable integration of the guest lectures/projects into the internationalisation plans of the departments is therefore an essential selection criterion. If necessary, the four-week stays can be divided into a guest lectureship and a guest professorship, so that synergies for international teaching, research and technology transfer can be better created. The following aspects serve as selection criteria for the guest lecturers:

- Excellent teaching performance and an outstanding integration concept
- Added value to be expected from importing new teaching and learning formats, teaching and learning structures or importing new teaching content, especially with reference to the SDGs
- Proven international added value for teaching in the subject
- Broad impact and enrichment of teaching in other subjects

Funding volume and funding criteria

The guest lecturer is financially supported with a one-time **flat-rate accommodation** allowance of **2,300** euros and a one-time **flat-rate travel allowance depending on the** distance band. The host department is responsible for providing the (spatial and material) infrastructure required for the execution of the teaching activity. The applicant makes him/herself available as a mentor and is responsible for the academic integration of the guest. The project team and the International Office of Trier University of Applied



Sciences support the host and guest in organising the stay, among other things.

The funding is linked to the obligation to write a short report four weeks after the end of the guest lectureship (approx. 3-5 pages). The focus should be on the sustainable added value of the stay for the further development of teaching in the subject/department or the university. If your application is funded, the DAAD and BMBF funding must be mentioned in public appearances and in materials.

Application and selection procedure

Please send your **application form** to haw.international@hochschule-trier.de by **08.05.2022.** A selection committee consisting of the Vice President for Research, Prof. Dr. Henrik te Heesen, the Academic Director of the International Office, Prof. Dr. Georg Schneider, and the Project Manager, Kathrin Franzen, will decide on the awarding of the guest lectureships.

Further details of the programme are presented on the project website. Please send any queries by e-mail to: franzen@hochschule-trier.de.